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"Breathes there a man with soul so dead, who never to himself hath said—'EMPRESS'?"

War Situation

News from the war zone of this past week does not tell of any startling decisive success either by the allies or their adversaries. The first of the week Russia appeared to be on the eve of scoring the biggest success of the war, but after having the greater part of a German army in Russian Poland surrounded, the enemy appears to have discovered a weak spot and broken thru. News from Russia and German sources, however, is contradictory, and the full extent of the losses on either side is questionable; it is certain, however, that the Russians have thrown the enemy back several miles in this region.

In the fighting in northern France and Flanders the allies appear to have regained almost the whole of the coastline and report small advances at different points of their lines.

Lord Kitchener states that he has 1,200,000 trained men ready, part of whom are now being transported across to France and it is expected a violent offensive movement may now be undertaken by the allies at any time.

The South African rebellion is practically stamped out, and De Wet the Slipper is a fugitive with a few supporters who are in a like predicament.

A REPORT

It is reported that Germany has paid an indemnity of 150,000 marks (\$37,500) to the duchy of Luxembourg.

Protect Rights of Those At Front

It is announced that an order-in-council which was passed on October 23, provides that any person who has gone to the front to serve with any of the allied armies and who holds mining rights in the Dominion shall be allowed to hold those rights without the necessity of complying with the regulations until six months after the termination of hostilities.

Provide for Relief of Needy Settlers

Ottawa, Nov. 27—Hon. R. Rogers, acting minister of the interior, announced that an order-in-council had been passed setting aside \$1,000,000 to provide seed grain for the settlers in the crop failure districts of southern Alberta and southwestern Saskatchewan. Another order-in-council provides for the expenditure of \$150,000 to provide for the immediate needs of settlers in these districts.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Anglican Church will hold a Japanese Tea and Bazaar in Mr. Brown's store on Centre Street, Saturday, December 12, from 1 to 5 o'clock p.m. There will be on sale fancy and useful articles, home-made cooking and candy. A percentage of the proceeds to be given to the Patriotic Fund. Everybody welcome.

The Young Mens' Fraternal Club

Quite a stimulated discussion followed the paper on democracy read at the Men's Fraternal on Tuesday evening. Mr. Stritzel proposed the question, "How may an unarmed democracy assert its claims against a powerful aristocracy?" Dr. Hagey, in reply, inferred from history that every European democracy had been compelled to pay the price of its freedom in bloodshed. Mr. Tom Muir, however, with oration on the his and ours of the trade unions. This brought a reply from Mr. J. Black. Mr. Black spoke of the merits of labor organisations, referring to their place in the gradual improvement of conditions, especially as instanced in such as the Workmen's Compensation Act. After the discussion, a committee for the society was formed: President, W. Sharp; Vice-Pres., R. M. Stritzel; Sec., N. D. Storey; Treas., A. E. Franklin; Committee: F. Haudley, R. McDonald, Dr. Hagey, J. Black, C. E. Sexton, C. Linda, D. McIntosh. The question of forming a Ratepayers' Association was next brought forward. It was moved that an announcement be made through the Express calling for a meeting of ratepayers.

All kinds of toys at the Empress Drug Co.

Temperatures of the Past Week

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Sun.	Nov. 30	43 45
Mon.	Nov. 31	27 45
Tues.	Dec. 1	25 45
Wed.	Dec. 2	21 37
Thurs.	Dec. 3	19 31

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Heart of a Fool

The Woman Hater

Makers And Spenders

THE PAJAMA PARADE

A Mix-Up Pedigree

MUTUAL WEEKLY

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When the Harvest Moon is Shining on it

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A. HANKIN, Editor

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FRIDAY, DEC. 4th, 1914

Rural Municipality of Manatario

The Council met at E. J. Little's, 30-26-27, on Nov. 3rd, with Reeve Jones and Councillors Nash, Paul, Ardell, Hamilton and Rivers present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

Jones - That the following taxes be cancelled.

The Cummings, SW 20-26-27, Mun. 81 cents.

George Price, SE 34-25-27, Mun. \$1.88; S. R. 81.73.

D. Kennedy, NW 34-25-27, Mun. \$6.59; S. R. 81.87.

F. E. Neul, N 1 7-27-27, Mun. \$27.00; S. R. 83.46.

F. A. Neal, SW of 7-27-17, Mun. 13.83; S. R. 1.73.

Wm. Muldrow, SE of 19-27, Mun. 13.83; S. R. 1.73.

F. W. Chapman, SE of 28-25-29, Mun. 13.83; S. R. 1.73.

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H. Feagan, NE of 18-23-28, Mun. 21.29; S. R. 3.00.

M. Feagan, SE of 19-23-28, Mun. 21.29; S. R. 3.00.

H. Nyström, E 1/2 of 7-24-27, Mun. 27.66; S. R. 3.46.

W. L. May, NE of 4-27-27, Mun. 26.52; S. R. 7.70; school 14.04.

Geo. E. Ewing, SW of 35-26-29, Mun. 13.83.

Albert Reid, NW of 2-26-27; S. R. 3.00.

Albert Sande, SW of 2-26-27; Mun. 21.29; S. R. 3.00.

J. A. Haynes, SW 3-25-29, Mun. 13.83; S. R. 1.73.

Hy. Butt, NE 35-27-17, Mun. 20.11; S. R. 10.11; school 17-28, Mun. 21.29; S. R. 3.00.

Hy. Butt, NW 35-27-27, Mun. 20.11; S. R. 10.11; school 17-28, Mun. 21.29; S. R. 3.00.

Hy. Butt, SW 25-27-27, school 17-28.

Fred Butt, SW 25-27-27, school 17-28.

Fred Butt, NE 26-27-27, school 17-28.

Carried

Hamilton - That the Reeve and Secretary be and hereby are authorized to sign a renewal note for \$2000 to the Union Bank, Alsask. Carried.

The Council adjourned while

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3 Pairs of our 75c value

American Silk Hosiery

or 4 Pairs of our 50c value

American Cashmere

or 4 Pairs of our 50c value

American Cotton-Lisle Hosiery

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Given to the home of the better Ladies' or Gent's hosiery is desired.

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THE VICTROLA AND THE FAMILY—No. 7



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says, "Baby like Victrola awfully much indeedy."

"It tells me lots of funny stories and sings pretty songs like Mamma and Mary and it lays music best like the big band does when the soldier boys go marching."

"Me like Harry Lauder best. He laughs so funny when he sings 'Stop Your Tickling, Jock.'

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In addition we give you a

special war map with pins. The price of The Express is \$1.00 for 12 months, 50¢ for six months or 25¢ for three months

There are among our readers some who would like to receive an Edmonton paper in conjunction with the Express. We can now offer the Edmonton Daily Capital with War Atlas and the Empress Express, the whole three, at the cheap rate of 85¢; this will ensure you the receipt of both papers for one year.

BREACH OF PROMISE

The Men's Court in Mr. Stritzel's office announces for next Tuesday, November 8, a Mock Trial. The case to be tried is for Breach of Promise; plaintiff claiming \$10,000.00 damages. Judge, J. M. Waggett; Clerk of Court, J. Cusack; Barrister for Plaintiff, Mr. Corby; Barrister for Defendant, R. M. Henderson; Foreman of Jury, D. McEachern; Constable O. Brakke.

Miss Davis, Plaintiff

vs.

F. Handley, Defendant
Damages, \$10,000.30

The court will be held at Mr. Stritzel's office, opening at 8 p.m. Everybody invited to attend. A special invitation to ladies for this night is extended by the club.

Bachelors Entertain

A splendid entertainment was given at the John Dritz place, north west of town, on the night of Nov. 25th. A large crowd of invited guests assembled to take part in the dancing and music which formed the leading part of the night's frolic.

At midnight refreshments were served, which were prepared under the direction of the promulgators of the event, namely Messrs. Paul Dritz and Albert Smulh, after which dancing was continued to the early hours of morning.

The boys are to be congratulated for the courtesy and successful management of the affair, and the guests wish to extend to them, as well as to the ladies who assisted them in bringing the event to a successful close, their sincere thanks.

Rural Man. of Manitoba
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Kinch's, 16-24-27, D. R. O. E. Kinch

Div. No. 2—Miss A. G. Rowles 31-23-28, D. R. O. S. Smitherman

Div. No. 3—Mayfield School, D. R. O. A. J. McTurdy

Div. No. 4—Ranchview School, 29-26-27, D. R. O. J. Sloss

Div. No. 5—C. E. McKenzie's, 6-27-28, D. R. O. C. McKenzie

Div. No. 6—L. C. Walker's, 28-26-29, D. R. O. L. C. Walker, Carried

Ardell—That in case of the municipal auditor is being absent S. G. Sudday be appointed auditor. Carried

Jones—That the Secretary be authorized to have 25 or more copies of the voters list for 1914 printed. Carried

Jones—That the next regular meeting of the Council be held at E. J. Little's, 30-26-27, on December 16th at 10 a.m. Carried

Jones—That the adjournment to December 16th at 10 a.m. at E. J. Little's, 30-26-27. Carried

R. Stanley Boug, sec.

SOCIAL PLAINS

The school at Social Plains is well attended having a daily attendance of seventeen scholars, the teachers being Mr. Kenneth McCrae an Ontario graduate with excellent experience.

Messrs. H. Cyr and G. W. Marving of 19 were in town on Tuesday for supplies.

A number of young people spent a pleasant evening at Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Swenson's residence on Monday evening.

Mr. Lester Oglesby assisted by Henry Swenson is busily engaged in digging a well on his homestead.

It is reported that a Hard Times Ball will be given in the school house on Friday night.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL

Rev. H. L. Gwyer made a trip to Cerval, Alta. on Monday

Mrs. M. G. Boyd is sick with tonsillitis.

Mr. F. A. White, representing the Calgary Daily Herald, was a visitor to town on Friday.

Mr. Ed. Morris, Medicine Hat L.H.C. supply man, was an Empress visitor on Tuesday.

Mr. C. F. Fitter and wife of Vandyne, were Empress visitors on Wednesday.

Mr. J. W. Blood and Mr. A. Muskeyn were visitors to Empress on Wednesday.

Mr. Halvor L. Halvorsen, president of the Empress Reality Co., was an Empress visitor on Wednesday.

Messrs. Z. Leach and Sims of Josephine, Sask., were visitors to Empress for supplies on Monday last.

Dr. J. C. Eager, left on Tuesday for his home in the east, having received a telegram that his father was seriously ill.

Wednesday's train from the west was only ten minutes behind time this is much better than the time made previous weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Peters left on Thursday morning's train for Flin Flon, Ontario. They will also visit Thessalon, and Dresden. They expect to be absent about six weeks.

Going Down—\$1.00 per day The \$85.00 Diamond Ring, now down to \$75 and the \$80.00 Cabinet White Sewing Machine is \$73.00 to day, and still going down.

Mr. Alphonse Muskeyn, of Vandyne, has had the misfortune to lose a valuable ox. The ox fell into an unguarded excavation on Philip Stoneham's homestead.

Nomination day, Monday, December 7. Nominations for Village Councilorship will be received between the hours of 8 and 10 p.m.; returning officer Mr. J. Cusack.

At the annual meeting of the Liberal-Conservative Association held on Thursday, Nov. 26, at Medicine Hat, Mr. Nelson Spencer, M.L.A., was nominated to contest the Medicine Hat constituency in the conservative interests at the next Dominion election.

The formation of a Ratepayers Association should appeal to all who have the interests of the town at heart. Through an association of this kind, conducted along the right lines, the ratepayer is enabled to keep in touch more with the work of the council board of the town, also to discuss more fully with other ratepayers the merits or demerits of bylaws or measures which may be proposed or put in force by the council from time to time.

Corporate and Mrs. Corby entertained very delightfully at a six o'clock dinner on Saturday evening, November 28, complimentary to Mr. Pete Schank's 50th Birthday, and Mr. H. Rogers who left for the front the following day. The table was very artistically decorated around a huge centerpiece, consisting of a birthday cake, with the name and date of the birthday of the honored guest inscribed thereon in icing. Candles were laid for eight. The evening was spent very enjoyably with music. At the close everyone left wishing Mr. Schanks many happy returns of the day, and wished Mr. Rogers a safe return to our little city.

Mr. M. G. Boyd, was indisposed on Wednesday.

Mr. H. Clark, has been confined to his bed this past week with sickness.

A very good attendance was present to take part in the discussion on democracy at the Men's Fraternal on Tuesday last.

Christmas is getting close. Take a look at the advts of the Empress business men in these columns. You will find the suggestion that Christmas gift you are looking forward to getting that will suit both your taste and pocket.

We have made arrangements for the Winnipeg Free Press and Telegraph on train days. Ensure a copy by calling at the Empress Express office.

Church Notices

St. Mary's Anglican Church

Litanies and Holy Communion, 10:30 a.m. Evensong, 7:30 p.m.

Union Church

A Special Childrens Service will be conducted in the Union Church (Grand Theatre) on Sunday Night. The address will be on "The Good Soldiers" Songs, will be rendered by the boys and girls. The parents are kindly invited to aid in gaining a good attendance of the children. Time 7:30 p.m. Everybody invited. Come and be young again.

Services By Father Russell

On Sunday, the 6th of December at 10 a.m., Father Russell will hold services at Empress. On Wednesday, December 2nd at 7 p.m. at 11 a.m. Thursday, December 3rd at the Lone Star Ranch, Stapleton. On Friday, December 4th at the home of Mr. J. Matz, near Acadia Valley.

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